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FRENCH POLITICAL CRISIS.

A DEAD SET AGAINST MILLERAND.

'EX-PREMIER PAINLEVÉ A CANDIDATE.

HERIOT TO SUCCEED POINCARÉ?

(Reuter's General Service.)

PARIS, June 1.
The dead set against President Millerand by the Left parties is considerably aggravating the political crisis. The formation of a new cabinet is most difficult as several sections oppose collaboration with the President in the slightest degree. The Radical and Radical-Socialist Federation yesterday demanded Millerand's immediate resignation while to-day the Radical-Socialist deputies in whose eyes their leader, M. Herriot, is the prospective premier, unanimously passed a resolution in the Chamber that they were unable to accord Millerand confidence because "he exceeded the constitutional role." Only the intervention of Herriot, who explained that he desired to retain freedom of action if he was summoned to form a Cabinet, prevented the meeting from adopting a proposal forbidding any Leftist accepting the Premiership from Millerand.

By a unanimous vote the plenary meeting of the Left bloc, attended by all sympathetic parties, endorsed the Radical-Socialist motion adopting M. Painlevé as candidate for the presidency on the proposal of M. Herriot. The resolution also expressed unconditional confidence in M. Herriot. Meanwhile the Socialist Party Congress, also a Republican, Socialist and Independent Socialist deputies meeting presided over by ex-Premier Painlevé were uncompromising in their attitude. The former is instructing parliamentary representatives to fight any government formed under Millerand's axis and the latter declared that the least collaboration with Millerand is inconceivable.

ECONOMIES IN THE BUDGET.

Prior to Poincaré's resignation becoming effective the Council of State ratified Decree Laws which were forced through the last Parliament in the teeth of strong opposition. These reduce departmental expenses by 400 million francs. Millerand subsequently countersigned the ratification.

The Poincaré Cabinet has resigned.

WHAT HERIOT WILL DO.

In a speech M. Herriot declared that if he did not secure the support he asked from the Socialists he would not consent to assume office. He anticipated external difficulties but not so many as suggested for democratic Europe had confidence in him. The aim of his government would be European peace and he would take all measures to maintain the equilibrium of the Budget and even have recourse to the courts if needed to put an end to certain manœuvres.—Reuter.

LATER,

Five girls and the matron of Hope Development school for sub-normal girls at Plaza del Rey were killed in a fire which destroyed the building. Three girls are missing and 19 injured, the latter having jumped from a great height and were conveyed to hospital.—Reuter.

According to the latest reports 18 are dead, 16 of whom are aged between 5 and 15.—Reuter.

DAVIS CUP TENNIS. EUROPEAN COMPETITION'S PROGRESS.

INDIA DEFEATS HOLLAND.

LONDON, June 1.
At Arnhem in the Davis Cup tennis India beat Holland by four matches to one.

Jacob (India) beat Timmer (Holland) 3-6, 8-6, 6-3, 2-6, 6-1.

Sleem (India) beat Van Lennep (Holland) 6-2, 6-3, 7-5.

It was Jacob's steadiness which won him the keen match as Timmer invariably started a set well but Sleem, who was as steady as a rock, was altogether too much for Lennep, returning every ball despite Lennep's hardest drives.—Reuter.

LONDON, May 31.
At Arnhem in the Davis Cup Doubles, Van Lennep and Timmer (Holland) beat Jacob and Hadi (India) 6-4, 4-6, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4.

It was a thrilling struggle. The Dutchmen were brilliant but somewhat erratic. They were leading by 4-1 in the second set, when India won the next seven games successively. The Dutchmen recovered brilliantly in the fourth set, but the deciding set was a desperate struggle, the sides dividing the first eight games equally. Then the Dutchmen produced another flash of brilliance and took the next two games and the match.

Britain v. Spain.

At Edgbaston in the second round of the Davis Cup, J. D. P. Wheatley (Britain) beat E. Flamer (Spain) 6-3, 4-6, 8-6, 6-1, and M. Alonso (Spain) beat J. B. Gilbert (Britain) 6-2, 9-7, 3-6, 4-6, 6-4.

France v. Ireland.

At Dublin in the Davis Cup, Coutelas (France) beat E. D. McGre (Ireland) 6-3, 5-6, 3-6, 6-7, 7-5,

and R. Lacoste (France) beat Dillon (Ireland) 6-1, 6-2, 6-2.

Reuter.

A BIG LOAD!

London, June 1.

The largest consignment of bullion ever landed in England was unloaded from the "Leviathan" at Southampton. It comprised fifty-one tons of silver bars, consigned from America to six leading London banks.—Reuter.

HOME CRICKET. SOUTH AFRICANS "A LEG UP."

London, June 1.

The South Africans played Scotland at Glasgow before 2,500 spectators on a soft wicket. Scotland compiled 33, Meintjes taking 4 wickets for 19 runs, Dixon 4 for 14 and Nupen 2 for 2. This is the lowest total ever made against Africa. The South Africans obtained 204 for 8 wickets, Cotterall and Commaile scoring 72 and 62 respectively.—Reuter.

SOVIET EMBASSIES STATUS.

TROTSKY RE-ELECTED ON CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

LONDON, June 1.

The British Legation at Lisbon and the Portuguese Legation at London have elevated the status of the embassies from Moscow.

Trotsky is among the re-elected members of the Central Committee at the Communist Party Congress. Radek was not re-elected.—Reuter.

"HONGKONG'S" LURE.

POPULAR CHINESE DINNERS.

London, June 1.

The Hongkong exhibit at Wembley is thronged daily by thousands of visitors attracted by the Hongkong street, with its open shops and native workers surrounded continuously by large crowds of Chinese. The restaurant is insufficient to hold the crowds of would-be diners.—Reuter.

THE IRISH BOUNDARY.

London, May 31.

There was an important three-hour conversation on the Irish boundary dispute at Chequers this evening between Sir J. Craig, Mr. Cosgrave, and Mr. Macdonald.

Hitherto no official statement has been issued.—Reuter.

London, June 1.

President Cosgrave is reported as declaring that after the Chequers conference the position has not been advanced a single step.—Reuter.

CHANCELLOR SHOT.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION AT VIENNA.

VIENNA, June 1.

Chancellor Seppel has been shot and seriously but not fatally wounded. His would-be assassin was also shot and sustained serious injuries during his arrest.—Reuter.

Chancellor Seppel was returning from Wienern Eustadt and had just alighted at the station when the man, who had travelled in the same train, made the attack. A shot penetrated the lung, inflicting a serious wound but it is not thought that it will prove fatal. His assailant turned the weapon on himself when about to be arrested. He refused to disclose his identity. The Chancellor was immediately taken to hospital.—Reuter.

ASSAILANT IDENTIFIED.

LATER.

The Chancellor was wounded twice, the first being a slight wound and the second more serious. His assailant has been identified as a weaver named Jaworek of Pottendorf near Wienern Eustadt.—Reuter.

A POLITICAL CRIME.

According to Reuter's Vienna correspondent Seppel was leaving the station to enter a motor car when a young man approached and fired three revolver shots. The Chancellor fell to the ground unconscious. His assailant shot himself in the head and his condition is desperate. An operation was subsequently performed on the Chancellor whose life the doctors hope to save. The Chief of Police has made a statement that the crime is a political one. The Chancellor's assailant is a railway worker—a supposed Communist.—Reuter.

GIRLS' SCHOOL ABLAZE.

MATRON AND GIRLS KILLED.

OTHERS SAVED BY JUMPING.

LOS ANGELES, June 1.

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AMERICAN BASEBALL LEAGUE RESULTS.

New York, May 31.
On account of previous postponed matches, each pair to-day played twice or a so-called double header. The results were as follows:

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland 7 Detroit 11

Cleveland 0 Detroit 2

St. Louis 5 Chicago 2

St. Louis 4 Chicago 11

New York 6 Philadelphia 0

New York 4 Philadelphia 5

Boston 9 Washington 4

Boston 5 Washington 10

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg 4 St. Louis 0

Pittsburg 3 St. Louis 2

Chicago 2 Cincinnati 9

Chicago 2 Cincinnati 5

Brooklyn 6 Boston 5

Brooklyn 5 Boston 1

Philadelphia 5 New York 11

Philadelphia 5 New York 6

—Reuter's American Service.

LATEST LEAGUE RESULTS.

New York, June 1.—The following are the latest league results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia 3 New York 4

Brooklyn 14 Boston 8

Chicago 6 Cincinnati 3

Pittsburg 7 St. Louis 0

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York 5 Philadelphia 0

New York 3 Philadelphia 12

Boston 0 Washington 12

Cleveland 2 Detroit 12

St. Louis 2 Chicago 0

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BELLIGERENT JAPAN.

London, May 31.

It is reported from Melbourne that the Nationalist, Mr. Marks, moving the adjournment of the House of Representatives in order to discuss defence matters, suggested that if a naval base were constructed at great cost at Port Darwin, the Japanese, in the case of war, would be deeply obliged.

Such a base would have to be destroyed, because if it was left for the enemy to use it, Australia would be at the mercy of the Japanese fleet without the protection of the British Navy.—Reuter.

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E. V. JESSEN,
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Hongkong, 22nd May, 1924.

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Hongkong, 29th May, 1924.

NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st June the offices of the Asiatic Petroleum Co., (S.C.) Ltd. will be in "Asiatic Building," Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, May 28, 1924.

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Hongkong, 29th May, 1924.

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Hongkong, 24th May, 1924.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE FOURTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley, on SATURDAY, 7th and MONDAY, 9th June commencing at 3.30 p.m. each day. The first bell will be rung at 3 p.m.

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Hongkong, 29th May, 1924.

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The Royal Academy has purchased, under the terms of the Chantrey Bequest, an oil painting, "The Princess Badroulbadour," by Professor William Rothenstein.

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MAIL WEEK NEWS.
ITEMS FROM FAR AND NEAR.

The birth of a son to the wife of the Maharajah Kumar (heir apparent) of Bikaneer is announced.

The Turkish National Assembly, having passed the whole of the Constitution charter and the Budget, is adjourning for six months.

At a wedding at Thringstone, Leicestershire, both bride and bridegroom, Miss Shaw and Mr. Fred Hawkins, were deaf, and dumb.

Two Iraq (Mesopotamia) tribal deputies, known to be advocates of the ratification of the treaty with Great Britain, were stabbed in Baghdad streets.

Seven more Egyptians, making eight altogether, have been detained at Cairo in connection with the murder of Corporal Ryan, of the Royal Air Force.

The death has occurred of Mr. John Currie, who was first chief engineer of the "Mauratania" when she made her record crossing of the Atlantic in September 1909.

Mr. William Pugh, J.P., 55, an official of the Dockers' Union and a South Wales Labour leader, died on the roadside when walking with his 10-years-old son.

A 17-year-old girl who was bound over at Hamilton, Lancashire, was stated to have cashed a worthless cheque for £14 and engaged a hall and a band for a dance.

Thieves who broke into the United Methodist Church and schoolroom at Mitcham, Surrey, which is opposite the police station, failed to find any money but drank nearly a bottle of Communion wine.

Mr. Harcourt Johnstone, Liberal M.P. for East Willesden, speaking at Kensal Rise, N.W., said that though he voted for free railway passes he had informed the authorities that he did not wish to receive his salary any longer.

Thieves who broke into the Hampstead Postal Sorting Office, Hampstead-hill, N.W., opposite the Hampstead Police Station, took from postmen's lockers eight tickets for the Football Association Cup-final and 23s. in money.

The Duchess of York will visit an Elizabethan Fête on May 31 at Hatfield House, Hatfield, the residence of the Marquess and Marchioness of Salisbury, in aid of the funds of the Hertfordshire Nursing Association for the purpose of receiving purses.

The British delegation to the Byron centenary celebrations at Missolonghi have expressed warm gratitude to the Greek people and officials for their enthusiastic reception.

Eluding a nurse, George Hockney, a patient at Grimsby Hospital, escaped from bed and in delirium leapt through the window, but escaped serious injury because he fell on turf.

The body found on the Downs near Beachy Head, Eastbourne, was identified as that of Henry Smith, 55, of 54, Church-street, Old Town, Eastbourne.

Mrs. Bennett, widow of Captain G. H. Bennett, the amateur steeplechase rider who died after being thrown at Wolverhampton on December 27 last, has given birth to a daughter.

The two brothers named Colemans who have been arrested in connection with the shooting of British soldiers at Queenstown will be brought before a district justice in County Cork.

Stated to have escaped from a private asylum, a Mrs. Staunton was found, clad in her nightdress, on the railway near Ashton, County Dublin, with her right leg broken and her skull fractured.

Trials were carried out at Zeebrugge with the train ferry-boats to be used for the Harwich-Zeebrugge service.

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HONGKONG MONDAY, June 2, 1924.

COLOMBOISM.

We do not pretend to know what governs the appointment to certain Government posts—whether they are based on seniority of service, ability, influence, preference of those in high-quarters—or what. In certain directions a settled rule seems to apply. We use the word seems with a certain amount of diffidence. For instance it does not seem to have been necessary to go beyond the bounds of the ranks of the local Civil Service for our Captain Superintendent of Police and our Director of Education.

super-officials all hail from one place—Colombo. Doubtless what is Colombo's loss (or gain) will be Hongkong's gain (or loss). This infusion of new blood is probably all for the good of Hongkong. If there is any feeling in the matter on the part of present incumbents of office, we ask them to bear up. Perhaps—who knows?—they may some day be transferred to Colombo.

Bathing and Pirates.

The fear of piracy, heightened by a recent fiery episode, is still with peace-loving Chinese, and we understand is having its effect on the number of bathing excursions, for Chinese do not care to make fairly long excursions with the fear of attack always in mind. It has been suggested that some plan of action be formulated of a cooperative nature. Bathing is a feature of summer existence in Hongkong and should not be curtailed. It is suggested that there should be a "clearing house," where Clubs and others might make known their Sunday excursions, with a view to co-operating in the matter of safety, and if possible, that where, say, two parties are going to the same place, they arrange each to convoy the other—starting at the same time—and leaving at the same time—keeping each other in view on the outward and return journey. It may seem to some a panic-stricken idea, but it is pointed out that the ways of pirates are past all knowing, and that being the case, no opportunity should be neglected to circumvent them. Owners of steam launches are guarding their own interests we are told by refusing to hire out their boats to strangers.

A b o t t i .

Some have prefixed a perfectly good name with another called "Dave-devil." Certainly, if getting an old aeroplane and overhauling it, and getting it up aloft is anything to go by, "Dave-devil" is probably a correct description. But perhaps a better one than that is warranted in the circumstances—something having to do with determination and courage. Mr. Abbott certainly provided Saturday's sensation and if consciences are what they should be, letters of apology should be pouring in on him—for it is no secret that in certain quarters his abilities and that of his machine were called in question. However the public conscience is elusive, whilst public memory is weak. It seems likely that an exhibition will take place at Happy Valley and all will hope for its success. But we will hope that it might be held in some wider area than the Valley. We perhaps think unduly of the first attempt that was made there. Abbott, being more expert than we pretend to be, will know better; but he has justified himself to such an extent that he should be backed up by an influential working Committee who will organise an exhibition on sound and safe lines: What is the master with a special "flying" holiday in connection with an exhibition to take place at Shatin? We leave it at that for the moment.

The reason given by SORRY, a miner for thrashing his wife, was that he disliked the pink blouse she was wearing. She was in the pink but he was in the blues.

Of twenty-five dinosaur's eggs found in the Gobi desert, several have been sold for over £1,000 each, and an expenditure has started to look for more. We are unable to state if any of our local Brokers are of the party.

The defendant in a recent case at Bloomsbury complained that his mother-in-law wrote poetry. Probably without rhyme or reason.

A famous pianist recently had to abandon a recital because he hurt one of his fingers.

The man who said it was a mere digital has been killed.

It is suggested that some of our statutes should be taken down and washed. The idea leaves us stone cold.

An American Professor is to fire a rocket which he hopes will reach the moon. We have known of people shooting the moon without this device.

"Thirteen" proved lucky to be a very lucky THIRTEEN number at a whist drive organised by the Selby branch of the Union of Postal Workers in aid of the local hospital. A novelty prize consisted of a sitting of signs from prize birds for the player sitting the longest at any table.

The winner was Mrs. Eleanor Pearse, Lynton Cottage, Bondgate, Selby, and she sat at the same table in the last 13 hands of the drive.

The table was No. 13.

The prize was the 13th.

There were 13 eggs in the sitting.

It was the winner's 13th whilst drive.

Her name has 13 letters.

So has the name of her house.

Her street number is 13.

Street and town together have 13 letters.

Naturally enough,

the late Lionel

COMPOSER'S

Monckton's house-

HOBBIES.

hold effects are

rich in operatic

scores and theatrical souvenirs. But

he had many other tastes. As a

bookman Monckton was devoted to

Stevenson, and also collected things

like Dr. Syntax, A'Beckett's

"Punch," bohemian journals, such

as "The Mask," and the entertain-

ing illustrations of Leech, Row-

landson, &c. He was a sound

judge of Chinese porcelain, and

had some excellent specimens of

the Kien Lung, the Khang-hai, and

Ming periods.

The very latest

fashion in novels for

FICTION.

is a big mouth for

herbines. In Miss

May Sinclair's "A Cure of Souls"

we read: "She had a small,

tenderly inquisitive face, with a

thin, waving mouth, a thought too

wide for it." The heroine of Mrs.

Bellot Lowndes's exciting story,

The Terribad Mystery," has a

mouth "too large for beauty."

Mr. W. Maxwell follows the fashion, for he says of Evelyn Glover, in

"The Day's Journey": "Her mouth,

although too large" All

This is a natural reaction against

eyes and lips which have been

overdone. But it is time feminine

cars were worn again in fiction,

for though hidden in real life they

are a great index to character.

Our Portuguese friends may not like this. It is from a London paper:

Portuguese avia-

TOMBSTONE

tors, less ambi-

itious than our

own, are essaying

merely to fly from Lisbon to

Macao, the utmost limit of their

country's Empire. The little

Chinese island has belonged to

Portugal for over four centuries,

but has always been so largely

populated by Chinese that much of

its area is covered with the tombs

of its ancestors, and to avoid

landing on some of them may be

work of difficulty to the pilots of

the present expedition.

Things were

quite comfortable

FOOTBALL

for Cup Final

CROWD.

enthusiasts in

the Wembley

Stadium. Last year's fiasco, how-

ever, was not a novelty in the

history of football; for we read in

the 1846 diary of one Adam Eyre,

a Roundhead warrior: "I went to

Bordhill to see a match played at

the football between Peniston and

Thurston, but the crowd hindered

the sports so that nothing was

done."

The following, from a

FISHY?

London paper, may

or may not be true.

It has a fishy smell about it—

An advertisement inserted in

a Hongkong paper produced a

curious reply from a Chinaman.

As a humorous specimen of

Chinese-English, the advertiser

sent it to a friend of his ("H.C.P.",

or H.C.P. for short).

"I am —

It is for my personal benefit

that I write for a position in your

honourable firm.

I have a flexible brain that will

adapt itself to your business, and

in consequence bring good efforts

to your honourable selves.

My education was impressed

upon me in the Peking University,

in which place I graduated Number

One. I can drive a typewriter

with good noise, and my English

is great.

"My references are of the good,

and should you hope to see me

they will be read by you with

great pleasure."

"My last job has left from me,

for the good reason that the large

man is dead. It was on account

of no fault of mine."

"So, Honourable Sirs, what

about it?"

"If I can be of use to you, I will

arrive on some date that you should

guess."

"Widow's Is. 9d.

—THE POOR.

Among the letters

CHINA SUGARS.

THEIR UPWARD TENDENCY.

One denomination of stock which is causing considerable stir on the share market is the China Sugar Refinery scrip. "Non-Speculator," writing to the *China Mail* on Friday last says:

"From present indications a boom in China Sugars is promised in the shares having jumped 20 points in the last ten days. I understand that a syndicate, headed by an official of one of the Chinese Banks, is making a corner in these shares."

The *China Mail* is not concerned with the speculative—by this is meant the conjecture—part of the business. A few self-evident facts are recounted for the general public.

On May 20, China Sugars were quoted by one of the exchanges at \$210 sellers and it was then rumoured that business had been done at \$205. Today's quotation of the same association is \$241. All along there does not seem to have been any appreciable turnover in cash transactions, remarkable discrepancy in buyer and seller quotations giving the impression of few shares being available.

However, the point we wish to make is that there is little in the sugar market barometer to explain the intricacies to an outsider. Hongkong agents of Java sugar merchants are accepting, or rather, canvassing orders, for a grade known as No. 24, rough white for delivery in July at \$2 per picul (133 1/3 lbs.) below official quotations for "spot" sales. To a layman this can only convey the impression that sugar merchants expect the new crop which generally reaches in Hongkong in June or July each year will be fairly plentiful, or in other words, there will be no hot demand for sugar.

True it may be argued that this grade of sugar has no bearing on the "China Sugar" product. Nevertheless it is still agreed that in "No. 18 rough brown," the grade which local refineries are said to buy in large quantities for making their products, there has been no appreciable rise to justify the recent jump in the value of shares.

It must also be stated that rumours are in the air regarding projected or completed property transactions which will justify the difference indicated by the appreciation of 30 points in a fortnight.

ANOTHER SCRAP.
BORDER FIGHTING.

On Friday last the pro-Chan and pro-Sun troops close to the New Territories border had another scrap. This time they were a good distance from the boundary. Also it must be stated that the description of guerilla warfare would be an exaggeration as small detachments only made spasmodic efforts here and there and quickly ceased fire as soon as it was realized that the objective would not be gained and there was a chance of some of the troops being hit by random shots.

It is gathered that the pro-Sun detachment of Honan troops under General Fan Chung-sau are on their way to Samchun (the railway terminus across the railway bridge) which they will make into a base for the right wing of Dr. Sun's projected offensive on the Chan Kwing-ming strongholds behind Swatow. Hitherto small batches of Chan's soldiers have made raids on the railway, a sortie on May 1 meeting with success but later ones being repulsed. These hill-fighters are said to have felt that with the coming of the well-trained and well-equipped Honanese army there would be little chance of further raids so they decided to make a final effort on Friday at sunrise. The pro-Sun irregulars on the spot managed to hold their positions and the attackers gave up after firing intermittently for a few hours.

The entraining of the Honanese men for the front means that some real fighting is due shortly on that part of the border between the main line of the railway and Shitau Kolo as the Honanese are expected to advance in that direction. Latest reports state that the main troops is at Ping Wu (the native village of the late Mr. Lau Chu-pak, 40 miles from Samchun) and the vanguard is already at Samchun.

One fact is worth mentioning in that it is peculiar to reports of Chinese military. The Honanese are well-disciplined and have never been unfavourably mentioned as bivouacking in villages and forcibly taking stores and food. Everywhere that they have passed so far they did not fraternize with the civil population and were orderly to the extreme. This is all the more remarkable as the army is said to comprise, mainly, ex-bandits from the North who were pardoned and then recruited.

WASTING MONEY.
GOVERNMENT BUILDING DELAY.

Attention having been drawn by correspondents to the peculiar conditions prevailing in the erection of the building for the new fire headquarters and other Government departments, the "China Mail" sought the assistance of a well-known architect this morning and in the course of his interesting remarks he made some rather unique observations from the public's point of view.

He surmised that the steel work came out from Home to be erected here under the supervision of the Public Works Department. In his opinion, if the work was a piece of private enterprise it would have dovetailed better. By this he meant that there would have been little or no interval between the completion of putting up the steel skeleton and the filling in of the reinforced concrete. During the time of placing into position the steel-work of each floor, a certain time had to elapse. On completion of the skeleton stage it would have been expected that the rust which had accumulated would have been scraped off. This would be followed by a coat of cement wash or anti-corrosive fluid, or better still to have put in the cement-concrete casing.

Our informant also remarked that it was not easy to understand that with the desire for the completion of the building for use the work has not been put in hand now, of scraping off the rust and putting on the cement-concrete casing. As this is the rainy season it would be natural to expect that the rust would be dealt with and the anti-corrosive fluid used pending a decision as to the plans for the reinforced concrete part which will entail calling for bids, etc., before it is put into commission. Scraping off the rust would cost about \$2,000 and the preventive measure a few thousand more. It did seem a pity, he said, "to spoil the ship for a ha'porth of tair."

Giving credit where credit was due, he added, the steel frame did bear appearances here and there of former acquaintance with cement wash, probably of some years duration. The steel beams and pillars, he understood, had undergone the plumbing tests satisfactorily.

DANGEROUS GOODS.

There arrived in the harbour yesterday a Norwegian ship of 150 tons known as the "Ely" which was formerly the King of Spain's yacht "Dora." She came in about 3 P.M. yesterday and is anchored off Stoenecutter's as she has on board a cargo of 50½ tons of gunpowder for Newchwang.

With a crew of thirteen Europeans the "Ely" left Engene (near Drobuk) on March 29 and sailed from Singapore on May 24. She put into port to clean her boilers which will take about three days.

MACLAREN'S NEW PLANE.

EXPECTED AT HONGKONG TO-MORROW.

The American destroyer, "Paul Jones," with MacLaren's new plane from Tokyo aboard is expected at Hongkong to-morrow morning. The plane will then be transferred to the U.S.S. Wm. B. Preston for transit to Akab.

WHY D'OISY DELAYED.

Peking, June 1.—Captain d'Oisy has postponed his departure for Mukden via Peitaiho as the Chinese authorities desire to present him with a sword of honour this afternoon, and also because the landing ground at Peitaiho is not yet ready. He leaves on Monday at the same hour. —Reuter.

PEKING, June 2.—D'Oisy left for Peitaiho at six this morning. —Reuter.

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RUHR STRIKE OFF.

Cologne, June 1.—The Ruhr miners' dispute has been settled. The men are to receive a 15 per cent. increase in wages and work an extra hour until September. —Reuter.

CORRESPONDENCE.
WASTING MONEY.

Sir.—You get a fine view from the harbour of the structure being built by the Government opposite the market in Des Vaux Road, and one can well understand your correspondent's statement that money is being wasted in not getting on with the job. But there may be a reason for all this.

[To the Editor of *Cathedral Notes*.]

EXTENSION LECTURES.

The following appears in St. John's Cathedral Notes for June. The "local newspaper" referred to is the *China Mail*. We understand the matter of University Extension Lectures will go a step further by the offer of a local body to shoulder the burden of organization.

[To the Editor of *Cathedral Notes*.]

Hongkong, May 3, 1924.

Dear Sir,—The Rev. R. R. Churchill, B.N., in a recent sermon at St. John's, advocated courses of University Extension Lectures. In an interview accorded to the representative of a local newspaper the Vice-Chancellor of the University pointed out that if such a scheme was inaugurated, a central lecture hall would be required, and some body to undertake the necessary organization. Occasional lectures have already been given on board H.M.S. "Tamar," and last winter various papers were read under the auspices of the C.E.M.S. Might I suggest, Sir, that the Church of England Men's Society at the Cathedral should make itself responsible for the necessary arrangement, if a demand exists for a course of University Extension Lectures, and that the lectures should be held in the Cathedral Hall?

If that is so, then we should indeed be grateful that there exists such a place as Colombo and that it is able to supply us with such able, far-sighted and wonderful men. What I hope, seriously, will be done, is that all our present Government servants—excepting the D. P. D., will be pensioned off—better still, because cheapest—sacked, and Colombo asked to send along all their men. Please back me up.

Yours, etc.,
MONEY SAVER.

THE CAPTIONED MISSIONARIES.

RELEASE AND RANSOM.
(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Wuchow, May 30.—The Motor Launch Roanoke which was seized by pirates above Chuping on the Fu river returned this afternoon to Wuchow, having on board the Rev. R. A. Jaffray of the Alliance Mission and Dr. Miller. The boat was in very bad condition having been pulled about by the pirates in their endeavour to find hidden money. They had also set her kitchen on fire. The Rev. gentleman had been stripped of everything excepting the clothes they stood up in and with the exception that they looked tired and badly wanted bath they seemed to look all right.

The Rev. Mr. Carne and Rev. Mr. Rex Reay are still held for ransom by the pirates. One of the latter gentlemen is a British subject and the other a citizen of the U.S.A.

Mr. Chamberlain of the United States Consulate, Shemeen, and Mr. Grove of the British Consulate, Wuchow, are stirring up the authorities in Wuchow to try and effect the release of the captives, and all the foreign missionaries are working to the same end.

The amount of ransom is said to be fixed at about \$200,000

ammunition, and other incidentals, necessary to pirates.

COLOMBO NOTES.

(Not from our own correspondent.)

April 1.—I have referred before to the unsettled condition of things which characterises our Civil Service. It reminds me of the story of the clergyman who was offered another appointment. His little boy was asked if his father was going to accept the offer of the new living. "Well," he said, "Father's praying and mother's packing, so you can bet your boots we're going."

It is something like that with our Civil Servants. So many have gone to Hongkong and so many hope to go—that we don't quite know where we are. Private advice from Reggie and Harold paint your fragrant harbour place as such a delightful abode—the pay and the people all that could be desired—that longing has proved quite unsettling. Three officials have been added to your list and it is quite on the carpet that your next Colonial Secretary will come from a place where as the hymnalist has it—"Every prospect pleases."

It is assumed that the Civil Service prospect is what was in that particular writer's mind.

More anon.

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COAL STEALING.

An interesting case concerning

an early hour expedition by the police against coal-stealers in the harbour was heard at the Marine Court by Lieut. Commander Conway Hake, R.N.R., the Marine Magistrate.

Two masters of fishing boats

were charged with not having the required permit and depositing

substance in the waters of the Colony without the permission of

the Harbour Master this morning.

Defective—Lance Sergeant

Whelan gave evidence that he

chased three boats and saw

defendants throw coal overboard.

Defendants finally upset their boats

but the officers raised the craft and

brought them back to custody.

The men were fined \$3 each on

each charge.

CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.

WEEK-END CASUALTIES ON POLICE REPORTS.

Several accidents were reported to Police headquarters this morning.

A ten-foot wall at the old electric company works in Star Road, Kowloon, collapsed on Saturday, and a contractor's coo

was struck in several places by the flying bricks. He was sent to hospital.

A house-boy employed at 47 Conduit Road was knocked down by a tram-car in Queen's Road West and sustained injuries which necessitated his removal to the Government Civil Hospital.

A quantity of earth on the hillside in Wong Nei Chong Road fell on a coolie aged fifty-five and caused injuries to various parts of his body.

The body of a thirteen year-old girl, daughter of a junk master at Tai-O, was removed to the Public Mortuary during the weekend. The girl fell off a sampan into the water.

A mashed coolie was knocked down by a motor-car at Mongkok on Saturday. He was taken to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

ON THE SHATIN GAP ROAD.

Highway robbery on the lonely Shatin Gap Road was reported to the Police on Thursday. As a sequel, one Ho Sing described as a bean curd maker appeared before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

It was alleged that the highwayman stopped Ts Kee on the road and demanded the contents of his pockets or his life. Ts Kee was reluctant. The robber drew a dagger and attacked the man wounding him to such an extent that he was not able to appear at Court this morning. Ho Sing, it was stated, stole \$6 from Ts Kee and bolted.

The case was adjourned pending the recovery of the victim.

BOWLS.

AN INTERNATIONAL TRY OUT.

The local lawn bowls season

was to have been commenced on Saturday, but owing to the death

of the Hon. Mr. A. R. Lowe

(President of the Lawn Bowls

Association in Hongkong) all

league matches were cancelled

at the Police Recreation Club,

however, an interesting inter-

national one-rink match was

played between representatives of

England and Scotland. The

match resulted in a win for

England.

ENGLAND. SCOTLAND.

McLeod

Reid

Knight

Grimmett (Skip)

J. Clark (Skip)

The winning team has been

challenged to a match with a

team to be captained by Mr. W.

Glendinning.

JAPAN'S PROTEST.

Washington, May 31. The Japanese Ambassador Mr. Hanihara has delivered the Japanese protest against the exclusion clause of the new United States Immigration Law to Mr. Chas. E. Hughes, Secretary of State.

The Japanese protest is coupled with a request to the American Government to take all possible steps for the removal of discriminatory measures. The Note declares that international discriminations are particularly unwelcome when based on race, and the history of commercial agreements between the two countries shows that the Japanese Government sought to protect its nationals from discriminatory legislation by the United States, which position is fully understood and appreciated by the American Government.

Citing the Japanese-American treaty of 1911 the Japanese note points out that the new legislation is in entire disregard of the spirit and circumstances underlying the treaty. It concludes with a hope that the communication will be received in the same spirit of friendliness and candour as it is made.—"Reuter's American Service."

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"SICILIA"	6,613	10th June at 7 P.M.	Singapore, Penang, Colbo & Bay
"KIRIGAR"	6,640	14th June	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"MORVA"	11,911	28th June	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"KEDDERSPORE"	12,234	20th June	Saporo, Penang, Colbo & Bay
"SOUDAN"	6,456	9th July	Singapore, Penang, Colbo & Bay
"KARMALA"	9,098	12th July	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"MALWA"	10,841	20th July	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"DEVANHA"	8,092	9th Aug.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"SICILIA"	6,813	22nd Aug.	Singapore, Penang, Colbo & Bay
"MANUTA"	10,902	23rd Aug.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"NAGOYA"	6,884	30th Aug.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"SARDINIA"	6,884	4th Sept.	Spore, Penang, Colbo & Bay
"KALYAN"	8,118	1st Sept.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"KAISAR-I-HIND"	11,430	20th Sept.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"KASHMIR"	8,961	4th Oct.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"MORVA"	10,841	12th Oct.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"KASHGAR"	8,440	1st Nov.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"MALWA"	10,841	15th Nov.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"KARMALA"	8,098	28th Nov.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP
"MANUTA"	10,902	1st Dec.	MARSHALL, LONDON & ANTWERP

BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS (South)

"TORILLA"	5,205	14th June	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta
"TALMA"	10,000	27th June	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta
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TENNIS LEAGUE.

**SATURDAY'S GAMES.
1ST DIVISION.**

U.S.P.C. H.K. UNIVERSITY.

Bates and Smith defeated Forster and Hett.....	8—3
defeated Yue and Wong.....	10—1
defeated Peterson & Hung.....	8—3
Worthington and Chippen-dale lost to Forster and Hett.....	8—3
defeated Yue and Wong.....	8—3
defeated Peterson & Hung.....	10—1
Henslowe and Allfree lost to Forster and Hett.....	2—9
defeated Yue and Wong.....	7—4
defeated Peterson & Hung.....	6—5
Total.....	62—37

C.R.C. v. K.C.C.

Green and Lay defeated Ho and Ho.....	8—3
defeated Lau and Lau.....	9—2
defeated Wong and Lau.....	7—4
Krebs and Tramitzky defeated Ho and Ho.....	6—5
lost to Lau and Lau.....	5—6
lost Wong and Lau.....	5—6
Hyde and Fincher lost to Ho and Ho.....	5—6
defeated Lau and Lau.....	6—5
defeated Wong and Lau.....	6—5
Total.....	57—42

2ND DIVISION.

CLUB DE REC. v. C.C.C. (B).

Noronha and Assumpcao defeated Abbasy and Hyder.....	10—1
defeated Modi and Cordeiro.....	8—3
defeated Thomson and Gomes.....	7—4
Soares and Osmund beat Abbasy and Hyder.....	8—3
defeated Modillan Cordeiro.....	7—4
defeated Thomson and Gomes.....	9—2
Hyndman and Barros defeated Abbasy and Hyder.....	7—4
defeated Modi and Corderio.....	5—6
defeated Thompson and Gomes.....	10—1
Total.....	71—28

K.C.C. (A) v. K.C.C. (B).

Jones and Green lost to Dryden and Bishop.....	3—8
defeated Brown and Savage.....	6—5
lost to Woodward and De Quivercourt.....	4—7
Pinguet and Oliver lost to Dryden and Bishop.....	5—6
defeated Woodward and De Quivercourt.....	6—5
defeated Brown and Savage.....	8—3
Ramsey and Mason defeated Woodward and De Quivercourt.....	7—4
defeated Brown and Savage.....	10—1
defeated Dryden and Bishop.....	6—5
Total.....	55—44

C.R.C. (A) v. I.R.C. (B).

Yew and Yew defeated A. and N. B. Kitchell.....	8—3
defeated Hamid and Arculli.....	8—3
defeated Mohammed and Cassumbhay.....	6—5
(defeated) Leung and Chan A. and N. B. Kitchell.....	9—2
defeated Hamid and Arculli.....	7—4
defeated Mohammed and Cassumbhay.....	9—2
Kowk and Lau defeated A. and N. B. Kitchell.....	8—3
defeated Hamid and Arculli.....	8—3
defeated Mohammed and Cassumbhay.....	6—5
Total.....	69—30

S.C.C. II. v. N.T.C.

Bent and Gillow defeated Spoltenius and de Lous.....	6—5
defeated Groot and Staagard.....	7—4
lost to Egmont and Bonnerman.....	5—6
Hollidge and Wood lost to Egmond and Bonnerman.....	4—7
lost to Soltenius and de Lous.....	5—6

Shepherd and Lish defeated Egmond and Bonnerman.....	6—5
defeated Groot and Staagard.....	7—4
defeated Noltenius and de Lous.....	7—4
Total.....	50—49



**GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.
AMATEUR TOURNAMENT FINAL.**

LONDON, May 31. The Amateur Golf Championship final at St. Andrews was won by E. Holderness of Walton Heath, the 1922 champion, who beat E. Storey, the Cambridge University Captain, by 3 up and 2 to play.

The weather was bleak. A sensational start was made, Storey holing out a fifteen yard putt. He turned three up and was four up at the eleventh where Holderness missed a yard putt. Then Storey had a bad patch of faulty driving. Holderness improved and finished the morning round one down. Storey, in the afternoon, began badly and went from bunker to bunker. Holderness squared the match at the second and halved the third, Holderness taking the lead at the fourth for the first time. The fifth and sixth were halved and Holderness won the seventh with a beautiful approach in three. He was bunkered but halved the ninth, and turned one up. Storey squared the match at the eleventh and Holderness won the twelfth. He was bunkered but halved the thirteenth and won the fourteenth. He halved the fifteenth. Storey in the sixteenth pulled his drive amongst the spectators and Holderness running up to within ten feet of the pin won the hole and the match.—Reuter.

"Pros" 1,000 Guineas Tourney.

LONDON, May 31. McLeod Wright (Scotland) won the Polytechnic London to Windsor marathon in 2 hours, 53 minutes and 17.2/5 seconds. Ferris, of the Air Force, was second in 2 hours, 54 minutes and 3 seconds and Mills, of the Polytechnic third in 3 hours, 2 minutes, 46 seconds. Eighty started. The race was recognised as an official Olympic trial.—Reuter.

THE WANCHAI MONUMENT.

NAVAL MEN'S ACTION.

LATE ON Friday night, some eighteen British and United States bluejackets arrived to clear the site of the monument at Happy Valley and otherwise repair the deplorable state of neglect into which the memorial had been allowed to fall for many years past.

Working with a will, the sailors plied picks and shovels in clearing away the stones and rubbish that littered the monument. Big blocks of wood that had been dumped against it were also removed. The next proceeding was to wash down the monument itself with water. The whole work was completed by about 12.30 on Saturday morning, having taken upwards of an hour.

SHANGHAI SENSATIONS.

**PRISON CONDITIONS
QUESTIONED.**

(From Our Correspondent.)

The following are the results:

- 1.—TWO LENGTHS HANDICAP (Members).
1st D. Ogilvie.
2nd S. Ogilvie.
Time: 32 1/5 secs.
- 2.—TWO LENGTHS HANDICAP (Boys).
1st A. Bliss.
2nd B. Gosano.
Time: 32 secs.
- 3.—TWO LENGTHS HANDICAP (Ladies).
1st Miss. B. George.
2nd Miss. Blunsdon.
3rd Miss. E. Bliss.
Time: 42 1/5 secs.
- 4.—TWO LENGTHS HANDICAP (Girls).
1st Ena Allen.
2nd Martha Gourley.
Time: 37 4/5 secs.

HIGH DIVE.—(Three Tries open to the Coloy.)

- 1st W. G. Urquhart (99 points).
- 2nd C. Mackenzie. (points each)
- 3rd A. Kitchell.

SERVICE RACE.—Two Lengths Handicap.

- 1st Humberston.
- 2nd Hannan.
- Time: 31 secs.

ONE LENGTH TEAM RACE.

- 1st G. R. Razavet, A. A. Botelho, J. Kent, A. G. Botelho, D. Ogilvie, J. Hand.

Dancing was indulged in at the close of the contest to the strains of the Quavers Band.

OLYMPIC GAMES.

MORE "SOCCER" RESULTS.

ANTWERP, May 31.—The Belgian and Dutch pilotage directors have decided that vessels drawing 30 feet may again use the channel of the Scheldt providing they observe the prescribed pre-cautionary measures.—Reuter.

WORLD FLYWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP.

New York, May 31. In a match or the World's Flyweight Championship, Pancho Villa, the holder, decisively out-pointed Frankie Ash.

Villa frantically tried a knock out in the closing rounds. On the thirteenth it appeared he might succeed, but Ash pluckily survived, though several times staggering about. The Englishman often countered, but his blows carried no force. Villa was warned several times for using a backhand punch and hitting after the bell had sounded. There were ten thousand spectators.

Villa carried a relentless attack on Ash throughout the fifteen rounds, winning each easily. Villa weighed 112 lbs. and Ash 110 1/2 lbs.—Reuter's American Service.

ENGLISH MARATHON.

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TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

G. R. NOTICE.

IN connection with the King's Birthday Ball at Government House, Guests are particularly requested:-

1. Not to stop their cars or chairs to alight before reaching the steps in the front porch.

2. To send their cars or chairs away immediately after alighting.

Failure to comply with these requests will lead to considerable delay and inconvenience to other Guests.

Guests are also requested to have their visiting cards ready to hand to the Aide de Camp in Waiting before introduction to His Excellency the Governor.

Hongkong, 2nd June, 1924.

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APPEAL TO HONGKONG.

After the annual procession of the Blessed Virgin Mary at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception at 5.30 p.m. on Saturday, as the congregation started to disperse the following Appeal was distributed to the faithful:

Famine in the Weichow Districts.

In the Weichow Districts under the ecclesiastical jurisdiction of the Vicar Apostolic of Hongkong, thousands of Christians are on the verge of starvation.

The constant typhoons of last year, the floods and the drought that followed have ruined the harvest. The last "reserves" of the poor peasants have also been robbed by the soldiery who constantly fight in these districts. In spite of the best efforts of the missionaries, who have worked for months to relieve the distress, all their resources have now been exhausted.

We now confidently appeal to the generosity of our congregation for donations, however small, to meet this more than pressing need. All donations will be gratefully acknowledged by the undersigned and remitted at once to the missionaries in charge.

The collections made in all Churches in the Colony on the next two Sundays will be applied for the relief of the famine sufferers.

"He who gives to the poor lends to God."

A. BANCHI,
Pro-Vicar Apostolic Delegate,
Mission House,
Hongkong, 30th May, 1924.

LAUDER'S VIEWS ON FINANCE.

BOXING.

CARPENTIER "BEATEN."

Michigan City, June 1.—Tom Gibbons beat Carpenter in a ten round no-decision bout before 3000 spectators.

Carpenter repeatedly caught Gibbons on the jaw, with rights, but the American became ever more aggressive, hitting the "Frenchman" to his corner, and landing at close quarters. Carpenter sank to the floor in the ninth round, indicating that he had injured his right ankle, but he struggled gamely to his feet and continued the contest although limping badly. Gibbons weighed 12st 9 lbs and Carpenter 12st 6 lbs.—Reuter's American Service.

The match went the full ten rounds. Gibbons was Carpenter's superior in every round, sometimes chasing him round the ring. The decision in favour of Gibbons was that of newspapermen at the ringside as the law in Michigan does not permit of a decision.

FRENCH POLITICS.

[For Later Cables See Page 1.]

PARIS, May 31.

M. Herriot has sent a letter to the Socialists' leader Leon Blum, urging the Socialists to collaborate with the Radical-Socialists in the new Government. He says the country clearly desires that the electoral union between the two parties should be transformed into a government partnership, with a view to far-reaching social reforms and building up peace abroad.

The Socialist Party Congress is opening to-morrow and will discuss the letter. The general opinion is that the socialists will reject participation in the Ministry, while making their support in debate condition on M. Herriot's refusing to accept the premiership from M. Millerand.—Reuter.

All this time Sir Harry was shuffling a great pile of letters. At length he selected one—the familiar buff-coloured envelope which brings our income tax papers. This he held up, remarking: "Guess what this is. Super-tax! Super-tax!"

Then, with a gesture of disgust, Sir Harry threw the envelope upon the floor and put his foot upon it. "Of course I'll have to pay it," he said, "but I'm not a tax pay it much longer. I could retire tomorrow and save all this."

Record Salary in London. After a few days fishing in Aberdeenshire, Sir Harry comes back to London, where he opens at the Victoria Palace—at a record salary.

"Tell my London friends that I've a big bunch of new songs for them," he said, "including 'I'm lookin' for a bonnie lass to love me,' which tells of the Scotsman who has made a bit of money and now wants a girl who will love him as his mother did. [The Boss o' the House," another, tells of a man who married a widow and had rather a bad time, until her death left him free to look round for a new partner who, however, must clearly understand that he is to be 'The Boss o' the House'."

PORTUGUESE AVIATORS.

Simla, May 31.—The Portuguese airmen have reached Ambala.

Allahabad, May 31.—The Portuguese airmen have arrived from Ambala in a D.H. 9. They left Ambala at five thirty and arrived here at ten thirty this morning. It was a good journey, with a favourable breeze.—Reuter.

Allahabad, June 1.—The two Portuguese aviators left for Calcutta at 5.15 to-day.—Reuter.

Calcutta, June 1.—The Portuguese fliers have arrived here.—Reuter.

[The Portuguese aviators started from Lahore on Saturday after a long delay due to their machine crashing.]

THE AMERICAN FLIGHT

2,000 MILES FROM HONGKONG.

ANOTHER WEEK OR SO?

Tokyo, June 1.—The American planes left Kasumigaura at 6.07 a.m. this morning.

Kushimoto, June 1.—The American planes arrived at 10.32 a.m. this morning.

[The Americans are nearly at the end of the second section into which they have divided their flight. They are now about 2,000 miles from Hongkong and should be here in a week or ten days.]

FUNERAL OF THE HON. MR. A. R. LOWE.

COLONY'S TRIBUTE.

[By courtesy of the *Daily Bulletin*.]

The funeral of Mr. Lowe took place on Saturday evening, and the large attendance and the scores of wreaths sent afforded eloquent testimony to the esteem in which the deceased gentleman was generally held. The cortège was timed to pass the Monument at 5.30, but it was nearly half an hour later when the hearse came into view. Meanwhile a very large number of people had assembled.

As the hearse passed the Monument a procession was formed to the Cemetery. H.E. The Governor (Sir R. E. Stubbs, K.C.M.G.) walked immediately behind the coffin, followed by his Private Secretary (Mr. Gainsford St. Lawrence), the Hon. Sir Claud Severn, K.B.E. (Colonial Secretary), and Mr. H. H. J. Gompertz (Acting Chief Justice). The coffin was of polished oak, with silver plated fittings, and the interment took place in the old residents' section of the cemetery, the Rev. H. Copley Moyle, M.A., Senior Chaplain of St. John's Cathedral, officiating.

Among the large crowd gathered at the graveside, in addition to the chief mourners already mentioned, were noticed Commodore H. E. Grace, R.N., Colonel Russell Brown, R.E., D.S.O., Hon. Mr. C. Montague, Ede, Hon. Mr. H. T. Creasy, (Director of Public Works), Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, Hon. Mr. Chan Sui Ki, Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe (Captain Superintendent of Police), Hon. Mr. D. W. Tratman (Colonial Treasurer), Mr. A. Dyer Ball (Puise Judge), Mr. S. B. B. McElroy (Clerk of Councils), Mr. W. W. Hornell, C.I.E. (Vice-Chancellor of the Hongkong University), Mr. P. P. J. Wodehouse, C.I.E. (Deputy Superintendent of Police), Messrs. J. Fleming, A. Ritchie, A. J. Martin, T. A. Martin, H. S. Martin, E. D. da Roza and others (of the Staff of Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews), Mr. J. Owen Hughes (Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce), Mr. J. Scott Hurston, Father Robert, Mr. A. H. Barlow, Mr. A. H. Ferguson, Messrs. T. Arthur, E. W. Carpenter, H. S. Rouse, and Yeoman of Signals Franklin (representing the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club), Messrs. C. J. Tacchi and A. Hamilton (representing Lawn Bowls Association), Messrs. G. M. Young, N. S. Brown, C. C. Knight, F. A. Wells, J. McHutchon, R. MacGregor, F. W. James, J. Reid, K. E. Greig, R. M. Dyer, E. L. Hosie, Andrew Forbes, G. C. Mackie, Eldon Potter, W. L. Patenden, P. Lauder, D. E. Clark, A. Brendley, H. B. L. Dovbiggin, R. H. Hancock, H. P. Wipslow, J. Hennessy Seth, C. Bernard Brown, H. R. Phelps, N. L. Smith, W. E. Shenton, D. V. Steavenson, Campbell Prosser, G. K. Hall Bruton, E. D. Blake, D. J. Lewis, H. Nisbet, R. E. A. Webster, G. Grimes, E. W. Hamilton, C. D. Melbourne, T. E. Pearce, Lieut.-Col. Robertson, M. M. Maas, W. E. Roberts, E. Humphreys, H. A. Lummett, Capt. B. Branch, Capt. R. H. Douglas, E. A. Ram, Dr. J. H. Sanders, F. C. Hall, J. A. Plummer, W. A. Dowley, F. R. Marsh, J. W. C. Bonnar, R. T. Matheson, P. C. Potts, J. F. Wright, T. W. Hornby, A. H. White, M. F. Kev, W. J. Hawker, M. Green, F. W. Gibbons, J. Robertson, P. M. Hodson, W. H. Mansfield, W. Sinclair, W. Armstrong, E. B. Reed, B. D. F. Beith, J. P. Warren, Lieut.-Comdr. Conway Haile, Syme Thomson, C. Blaker, D. Gow, A. L. Shields, A. H. Hollingsworth, B. A. Hale, L. A. Blackburn, Middleton Smith, A. W. Tickle, T. M. Hazlerigg, Teesdale Mackintosh, Ho Kwong, A. S. Forsyth, D. Keith, G. T. May, and G. A. Musitano.

COUNTY CRICKET CHAMPIONSHIP.

POSITION AS AT MAY 31.

County	Played	Points obtained	Possible points	Percentag.
Middlesex	5	23	25	92.00
Yorkshire	5	20	25	80.00
Surrey	5	19	25	76.00
Lancashire	5	17	25	68.00
Somerset	4	13	20	65.00
Sussex	5	16	25	64.00
Leicestershire	5	14	25	56.00
Worcestershire	4	10	25	40.00
Warwickshire	3	8	20	40.00
Nottinghamshire	4	6	15	40.00
Glamorganshire	4	7	20	35.00
Essex	5	13	20	32.50
Derbyshire	5	6	25	24.00
Gloucestershire	5	4	25	16.00
Hampshire	4	3	20	15.00
Northamptonshire	2	1	10	5.00

The following matches were abandoned—Surrey v. Yorkshire, and North v. Warwickshire. The following matches were not completed in the 1st. innings—Norfolk v. Warwickshire, and North v. Sussex. These matches are not included in the above table.

MR. WOODS' SUCCESSOR.

A DYING APPEAL.

[By courtesy of the *Daily Bulletin*.]

Tokyo, June 1. The *Nichi-Nichi* voices "the opposition to Dr. Schurman as the successor to Mr. Cyril Woods (American Ambassador at Tokyo) not on personal grounds, but because, judging by his actions and statements while in China, the paper is of the opinion that another choice would be better to patch up the break in the friendly relations with America."

Tokyo, May 31. A letter addressed to the U.S. Ambassador, Mr. Cyril Woods, was found on the body of a man who committed "hara-kiri" this morning in the neighbourhood of the site of the American Embassy, reads as follows:

"I appeal to the people of the United States of America through Mr. Cyril Woods, who understands and sympathises with Japan," and the letter is signed "A nameless subject of the Mikado." The letter appeals

Through death for a new Bill cancelling the exclusion clause, which has affronted Japan. I am a Japanese, and Japan has been humiliates by your country without justification. I would rather die than live to hate your people."

Tokyo, June 1. Yesterday's suicide, which has profoundly impressed the public, is being freely commented upon as a true reflection of the nation's sentiments, though the act itself may not be condemned nationally.

Mr. Okada, chief of the foreign section of the Metropolitan Police Bureau, interviewed, records his admiration for the act, which he declares bears no sign of insanity. He has instructed his subordinates to honour the remains in a manner similar to that of a battle hero. At present the remains have not been identified.

Steps are being taken by admirers to arrange for a national funeral.

BILLIARDS FINAL

HO KOM TONG TOURNAMENT.

At the Palace Hotel, Kowloon on Saturday night, the final match in the competition for the Ho Kom-tong Cups was played, the contestants being Messrs. L. A. Osmund (Amateur Champion of Hongkong) and E. Spy.

The latter showed fine generalship, leaving the champion few opportunities of gaining effective control of his beloved red ball.

Osmund was the clear winner.

The best breaks were:

Osmund (twice 32), 46, 45, 27,

26, 20, 18, 15 (twice), 14, 13 (twice).

Spy (twice 125), 35, 22 (twice), 20, 16 (twice), 15, 14, 13 (twice).

At the conclusion of the game the cups were presented by Mr. B. S. Corke to the respective winners:

E. Spy 1

L. A. Osmund 2

F. E. Silva 3

In an effective little speech, Mr. Corke alluded to the good standard of play and excellent sportsmanship that had been witnessed throughout the competition, and made reference to the keenness of Mr. J. H. Osberry in managing the tournament and umpiring the matches.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. David Wood and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. D. Forrest are passengers on the "Khiva" which left on Saturday.

Mr. Robert Ho Tung is leaving for England this week and will join his father at Wembly, after which he will make a tour of Europe.

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This morning's Nam Pak Hong quotations, basis usual guild terms, were as follows:

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Anatole France, recognized as one of the greatest writers of his age, was photographed while receiving the "honours" of the French world of letters on the occasion of his 80th birthday anniversary, which he celebrated at his home in Paris.

Mrs. Annie Matson, an aged widow, is under arrest on a charge that she is responsible for a series of murders under "spirit orders" that came in writing. The direct charge is that she murdered her 24-year-old son recently.



Photo by Central News.
Ceylon notables were among the most striking of the many picturesque Eastern representatives at the Empire Exhibition.



Helen Jesmer of the New York Follies, went for a joy-ride with Philip Morgan Plant whose stepfather inherited \$15,000,000. The car skidded: Miss Jesmer lost the sight of an eye and suffered injuries to her face. She is now suing for \$50,000 for loss of beauty.

Theodore Glasgow, husband of Wanda Elaine Stora, who killed a man, and then ended her life with poison, told the police he married the brilliant woman attorney several months ago, although he had reason to believe she was infatuated with Smith, a wealthy advertising agent.

Harking back to the dark ages, William D. di Giuseppe, a constable, chained his bride to him with handcuffs when he heard that practical joker friends intended to kidnap the former Miss Jeanette di Vincenzi, of Madford, immediately after their marriage. The jokers were foiled.

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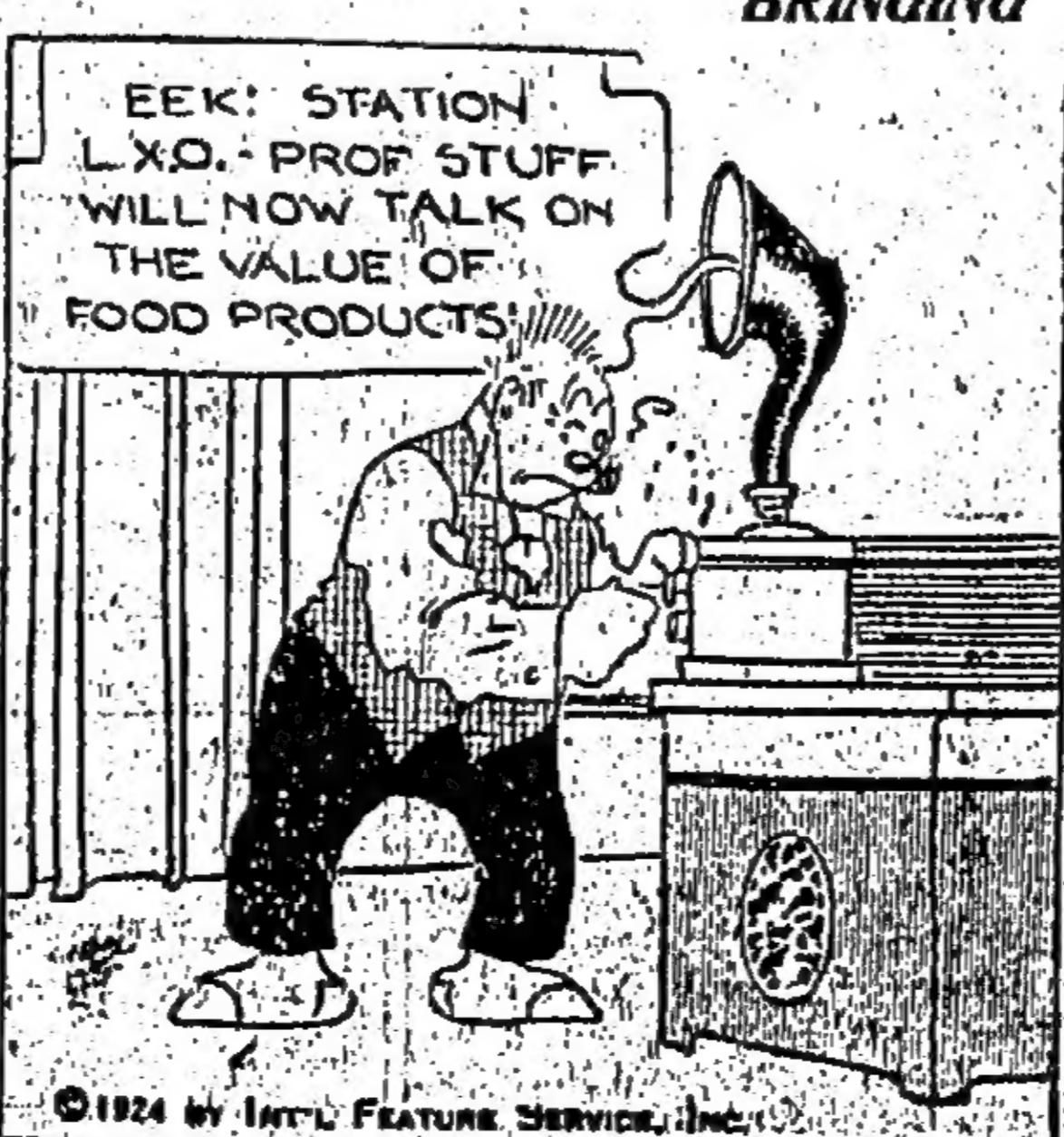
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Sandakan... Mausang... Noon.

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June 18th July... Parcels

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Kuei-kuang

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11.

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